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R 231645Z DEC 76
FM AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2724
INFO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA
AMEMBASSY BRASILIA
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AMEMBASSY LIMA
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USDEL MTN GENEVA

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E. O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, CI
SUBJECT: CHILEAN TARIFF CHANGES

REF: SANTIAGO 1029; 1156; 5504; 8001

1. OFFICIAL GAZETTE OF DECEMBER 23, 1976 ANNOUNCED AN UNSCHEDULED
REDUCTION OF TARIFF RATES ON MORE THAN 2,000 ITEMS. ITEMS
INVOLVED ARE MAILY RAW MATERIALS AND CAPITAL GOODS WHICH ARE
NOT PRODUCED IN CHILE, THUS DO NOT COMPETE WITH LOCAL PRODUCTION.

2. DUTIES ON SEVERAL OF THESEITEMS HAVE NOW BEEN REDUCED
TO THE 1978 TARGET FIGURE OF 10 PERCENT. (SANTIAGO 5504).

3. ONE OF MAJOR REASONS BEHIND THIS UNSCHEDULED REDUCTION WAS
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TO CORRECT DISTORTIONS CAUSED BY HIGH TARIFF ON MACHINE
SPARE PARTS. THIS OFTEN INDUCED INDUSTRIALISTS TO IMPORT
WHOLE NEW MACHINES INSTEAD OF REPLACEMENT PARTS.

4. EMBASSY EXPECTS SCHEDULED GENERAL REDUCTION BY FEBRUARY 1977.

5. EMBASSY AIR POUCHING COPIES OF TARIFF CHANGES AS THEY APPEAR
IN THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE.
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Message Attributes

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